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## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

## Milwaukee police response times on Public Safety Committee's agenda

The **Public Safety Committee** will discuss issues related to Milwaukee Police Department response times when it meets at 9 a.m. tomorrow (**Thursday, June 23**), said **Alderman Bob Donovan**, chair of the committee.

Slow law enforcement response times for calls for service are a serious problem in Milwaukee, and are a "universal concern" for every Common Council member, Alderman Donovan said. Representatives of the Milwaukee Police Department will appear before the committee to address the issue.

"Slow response times are a hindrance to public safety," Alderman Donovan said. "We look forward to working with the Milwaukee Police Department to ensure that strategies are in place to ensure the safety of every neighborhood."

Thursday's Public Safety Committee meeting will be televised live on the City Channel (Channel 25 on Time Warner Cable and on AT&T U-Verse Channel 99) in the City of Milwaukee. It can also be viewed via streaming video on the city website at <a href="https://www.city.milwaukee.gov/Channel25">www.city.milwaukee.gov/Channel25</a>.

What: Public Safety Committee to discuss police response times

When: Thursday, June 23 at 9:00 a.m.

Where: Room 301-B at City Hall, 200 E. Wells St.

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